LISTING OF CLAIMS

- 1. (Previously Presented) A purified preparation of a glycosylated CD44 polypeptide, said glycosylated CD44 polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence encoded by a nucleotide sequence comprising exons 1-5, 16, 17, 18, and 20 of a human CD44 gene, wherein the CD44 polypeptide is CD44H, wherein said glycosylated CD44 polypeptide comprises sialylated, fucosylated glycans, wherein said glycosylated CD44 polypeptide is a ligand for E-selectin, L-selectin, or both, and wherein the preparation comprises less than 5% of a polypeptide other than the glycosylated CD44 polypeptide.
- 2. (Previously Presented) The preparation of claim 1, wherein binding of said glycosylated polypeptide to a HECA 452 antibody decreases following contacting of said glycosylated polypeptide with N-glycosidase-F under conditions sufficient to remove carbohydrate moieties from said glycosylated polypeptide.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The preparation of claim 1, wherein binding of said glycosylated polypeptide to a HECA 452 antibody decreases following contacting of said glycosylated polypeptide with sialidase under conditions sufficient to remove sialic acid moieties from said glycosylated polypeptide.
- 4. (Previously Presented) The preparation of claim 1, wherein binding of said glycosylated polypeptide to a HECA 452 antibody decreases following contacting of said glycosylated polypeptide with fucosidase under conditions sufficient to remove fucose moieties from said glycosylated polypeptide.

5.-6. (Canceled)

7. (Previously Presented) A purified preparation of a glycosylated polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequences of SEQ ID NO: 1, wherein said glycosylated polypeptide comprises sialylated, fucosylated glycans, wherein said glycosylated CD44 polypeptide is a

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ligand for E-selectin, L-selectin, or both and wherein the preparation comprises less than 5% of a polypeptide other than the glycosylated polypeptide.

8. - 65. (Canceled)